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We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the editor at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce JOSTAN SENN as a candidate for Township Collector at the ensuing April election.

We are authorized to announce B. F. SWANSON as a candidate for Alderman in the third ward.

We are authorized to announce B. H. CESSNA as a candidate for Alderman in the fifth ward.

We are authorized to announce WM. M. TOWN as a candidate for Alderman in the fourth ward.

We are authorized to announce T. J. ANDERSON as a candidate for Mayor.

I respectfully desire to announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Town Collector at the coming April election.

H. H. BROWN.

We are authorized to announce JAMES L. PARKER as a candidate for re-election to the office of Alderman in the fourth ward.

By request of numerous friends, I hereby announce myself a candidate for Mayor of the City of Decatur at the coming election.

R. H. MERIWEAHER.

We are authorized to announce the name of C. H. DUGGER, Esq., as a candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward.

We are authorized to announce E. McLEOD as a candidate for Alderman in the second ward.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. HAWORTH as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal.

We are authorized to announce EUGENE G. LEONARD as a candidate for Township Collector at the ensuing April election.

We are authorized to announce M. K. HARRIS as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Treasurer.

We are authorized to announce DAVID L. HARRIS, Esq., as a candidate for Alderman in the first ward.

We are authorized to announce JOSEPH S. LEAKE as a candidate for re-election as Alderman in the fifth ward.

We are authorized to announce JAMES M. CAMPBELL as a candidate for Alderman in the third ward at the ensuing city election.

We are authorized to announce SULLIVAN BURGESS as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Surveyor and Engineer.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

The German Turners are negotiating for a larger hall than the one they now occupy.

The Decatur Reading Rooms are a favorite place of resort on Sunday.

Everybody says that Andy Kepler's cigars are No. 1.

For choice sugar cured breakfast bacon go to Neidermyer's.

The thaw continues, and leaking roofs receive their share of curses from profane men.

Ex-Mayor Forstmyer wishes it distinctly understood that he is no candidate for office at the approaching election.

Everybody who wants a nicely fitting boot or shoe, right in style, and of instate stock, should call at the Grand Emporium of George F. Wessels, on North Water street.

The south wind and warm snow are making a decided impression upon the snow to-day.

About fifty bushels of rabbits were brought to town on Saturday and disposed of at the different grocery and provision stores.

A considerable number of thrifty turners are now emigrating to Kansas, not the least impressed with fear by the reports of suffering which come from that State.

A week's good sleighing has furnished a means of enjoyment for nearly all our people, and has initiated the pocket books of our livery men considerably.

Osler the St. Nicholas bus or carriage for a trip to the depot or around town.

Wild ducks have already commenced flying northward. This is a sure sign that warm weather is near at hand.

Freight business on the Illinois, Michigan and Railway is increasing with amazing rapidity. It in the future the freight business increases as it has in the past, the freight depot of this road in Decatur will have to be enlarged, to make room enough to store the goods which are shipped and received at this place.

House washing and toilet soaps at Lewis & Milligan's.

The backbone of winter has weakened perceptively within the last two or three days.

The little robin and the jolly blue bird may be looked for within the next two or three weeks.

Supervisor Dempsey had a large sale employed this morning in cleaning out others in the business part of the city.

The roads are getting badly worn and though carriages grate harshly upon the ice mixed with snow to day.

"Honest John" Hockenberry has joined the regtular army. He has found the right place for a reformation. If he does not leave the "ways" that are dark and tricks that are evil when in the company of U. S. soldiers, he will be badly punished.

Mr. Riggs, whose leg was broken on Saturday by a stick of wood falling from his wagon upon it, is quite comfortable to-day, and is doing as well as could be expected. As only one bone of the leg was broken it will be much more easily kept in place than if both were fractured.

A man who was walking along the walk on East Main street this morning, happened to slip when he was right at a little pool of water. He sat down very gracefully in the water, and while it was not injured particularly, the condition of his pants suggested the desirability of hunting a hot stove.

Many people being apprehensive that the snow was about to be laid off us, made sure of their sleigh-ride yesterday. Nearly all the livery sleighs in the city were pressed into service, and those who have rigs of their own made use of them to the best advantage, by giving themselves and their families an airing.

Imboden & Co. have a full assortment of choice canned fruit.

The softening of the weather has put carpenters and other mechanics on the alert, and those who have contracts on hand are very busy to-day in getting ready to push forward the different building enterprises in which they are interested. Indeed, everybody seems to be inspired with new life, and people move about as if they meant business. A few days of warm weather will put a new aspect on business in town.

Saturday night a lot of young vandals took possession of a few sleds which did not belong to them, and, after taking a long ride, during which the sleds were smashed up badly, the rascally youngsters, fearing detection, would not return the borrowed property which they had broken up. It took a long search Sunday morning for the owners to find the missing sleds.

In the evening the sermon was on "reading," and the thoughts presented by the speaker upon this subject were eminently sensible, and what we wish everybody might hear.

At the

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH the pastor officiated, and in the evening preached an exceedingly interesting discourse on the "ministration of angels."

The discourse took the ground that the idea of a particular guardian angel being appointed to take charge of each mortal, was not authorized by the Scriptures.

The speaker believed there were good and bad angels, but repudiated the idea that mortals might enter into a league with evil angels, so as to be endowed by them with supernatural power, as was believed in the days of witchcraft.

The ministry of good angels he believed to be that of helping men to carry out all good resolutions, consoling them in times of trouble, and escorting the souls of the redeemed, to the spirit world, all of which ideas were abundantly supported by Scripture quotations. The discourse held the deepest attention of the congregation throughout.

The pastor of the

PROTESTANT CHURCH preached in the morning on "Moses," giving a biographical sketch of that ancient worthy, and deducing from his history many important lessons.

The wisdom of Moses in "choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season," was dwelt upon with much force.

The discourse was an interesting one, and many of its passages were eloquent and thrilling.

The pastor of the

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH the pastor officiated, and preached in the morning from Eph., 6-10; and in the evening from Luke, 13-6. The congregations were large, and we hear the sermons well spoken of by those who heard them. This society finds its congregation considerably larger in the new house of worship than it was in the old, and the religious interest is increasing among them.

The pulpit of the

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH was filled by the pastor, who took for a subject of discourse in the evening, "Stand Still." Those in attendance speak of the services, both morning and evening, as being very interesting.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

At this church the pulpit was filled morning and evening by the pastor.—

The subject of the evening discourse was, "What must I do to be saved?" In an interesting and instructive sermon of 45 minutes' length the speaker gave what he believed the Bible to say on this all-important question. He quoted largely from all parts of the Scriptures to prove his assertions. The discourse is spoken of as one of the best Elder Haynes has ever delivered in this city.

At the

EPISCOPAL CHURCH morning service was read by Mr. L. Burrows; sermon by the rector, from the 23d verse of the 9th chapter of St. Luke.

"If any man will come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me." From this text he preached a very forcible sermon, pointing out in clear and well defined terms the necessity of daily, yea hourly, and at all times, of following Christ, and of the character and rewards of a Christian's cross bearing.

On account of the ill health of the rector there was no evening service.

Lenten service will be held on Wednesday and Friday evenings at 4 o'clock, to which all are invited.

Jan. 24-26w3m

Additional Premiums.—In addition to the premiums already reported as having been awarded at the poultry show last week we give the following:

For collection of stuffed birds, Rhodes Allen, of Harrington.

For trio of crosses, Black Cochinchina, Samuel Powers, Decatur.

We are also requested to say that the statement in the *Magazin and Tribune* of Saturday, that Dr. Wadams got a silver cup, worth eight dollars, for his ferrets, is a mistake. He got a cash premium of five dollars, and nothing more.

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Mr. Post sells choice jewelry at low figures.

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THE CHURCHES YESTERDAY.

In marked contrast with several preceding Sabbaths, the weather yesterday was delightfully pleasant, and all the churches were well attended.

The pastor of the

BAPTIST CHURCH

occupied his pulpit both morning and evening. On the former occasion he took for his text the words in Judges, "and thou shalt say no." The speaker said that in the primary use of the text, the author of it was soliciting the person to whom it was addressed to tell a lie, by saying that he was not in her house, when in fact he was there. With the occasion for the use of the text, and the motives by which the person desired to put the word "no" into the mouth of another, he said he had nothing to do, but that he used the words simply as a motto, and that his discourse would be directed to showing the importance of saying "no" at proper times.

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